

**ARCHITECTURAL SYSTEM INCORPORATING A HYPERSTRUT SPINE**

**Abstract of the Disclosure**

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A node-and-strut structure is made so as to include a "hyperstrut spine" of at least 6 to 10 similar "vertebrae." Each such vertebra includes one "left-hand strut," one "right-hand strut," and one "primary" node rigidly engaging a proximal portion of the left hand strut and of the right hand strut. These vertebrae are arranged so  
10 that the primary nodes each intersect a primary axis, so that the left-hand struts are all (nominally) parallel with one another, and so that the right-hand struts are similarly all parallel with one another.